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STATEMENT OF MRS. JIMMY CARTER UPON ARRIVAL AT BENITO  
JUAREZ AIRPORT, NOV. 30, 1976, 13:30 HRS.

(MRS. CARTER WAS INTRODUCED BY MRS. LOPEZ PORTILLO)

IT'S A GREAT PLEASURE FOR ME TO RETURN TO MEXICO ESPECIALLY  
FOR THIS HISTORIC OCCASION AND I WANT TO THANK MRS. LOPEZ PORTILLO  
FOR HER KIND INVITATION TO ME. JIMMY REGRETS THAT HE CANNOT  
BE HER WITH ME BUT I BRING HIS WARMEST REGARDS TO PRESIDENT-ELECT  
AND MRS. LOPEZ PORTILLO AND ALSO HIS COMMITMENT TO A CLOSE  
RELATIONSHIP AND FRIENDSHIP WITH MEXICO. WE TRAVELLED IN YOUR  
BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY SEVERAL TIMES WITH OUR CHILDREN AND ALSO IN AN  
OFFICIAL CAPACITY WHEN JIMMY WAS GOVERNOR OF GEORGIA. WE HAVE  
LONG BEEN INTERESTED IN MEXICO AND LOOK FORWARD TO MAINTAINING  
CLOSE TIES WITH OUR MEXICAN FRIENDS AND ESPECIALLY WITH THE  
LOPEZ PORTILLO FAMILY."  
KISSINGER

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